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To: INTERESTED PERSONS

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RE: RELEASE OF 1990 U.S. CENSUS DATA.

The attached report has been prepared by staff of the Planning Department's Planning Research Section. It contains information derived from data published by the U.S. Census Bureau, Department of Commerce. This report represents the first in a series to be published over the next two to three years.

As the report indicates, population in the City of Los Angeles grew 17.5 percent between April 1980 and April 1990. This growth rate is the lowest in the nine county Southern California region. The region includes Riverside (76.5%), San Bernardino (58.5%), Kern (34.8%), San Diego (34.2%), Ventura (26.4%), Orange (24.7%), Santa Barbara (23.7%), Imperial (18.7%), and Los Angeles County (18.5%). The City represents more than 39 percent of total county population in Los Angeles.

As the report also indicates, population grew at a rate in excess of housing. The implication is that household sizes are increasing. This is, in fact, the case in three of the four regions in the City; the exception being the western region where data indicates that six out of seven Planning Districts had reduced household sizes. In reality, Westwood, the lone exception to the pattern in the western region, may also have decreasing household sizes since large segments of the population in that Planning District live in group quarters facilities.

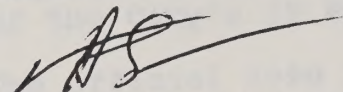
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The next release of 1990 Census data is scheduled for late 1991 or early 1992.

Sincerely yours,

Melanie S. Fallon,
Director



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The first volume of the series is now in the hands of the printer.

Yours very truly,

W. E. B. DuBois

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1990 CENSUS - PRELIMINARY RESULTS

This report contains two tables describing growth rates and racial/ethnic information at Planning District, regional, and citywide levels. This information has been developed through a cursory analysis of the recently released U.S. Census Bureau's 1990 Census PL94 data file. PL94, also known as the reapportionment file, is intended to be used primarily for political boundary adjustments, and it contains information relative to that process. Also included in this report is a map of the City's 35 Planning Districts.

The official 1990 Los Angeles City population stood at 3,485,398, an increase of 518,548 persons or 17.5 percent more than the population level in 1980. Between 1980 and 1990, housing grew by 111,041 units to 1,299,963, at an annual rate of 0.90 percent.

Table I shows the change in population and housing from 1980 to 1990. Note that with the exception of the Western region, population is rising at a rate significantly higher than the rate for housing. This is an indication that household sizes are increasing in most of the City. Also note that one Planning District (Westlake) lost housing units and that three Districts (Encino-Tarzana, Brentwood-Pacific Palisades, and Bel Air-Beverly Crest) appear to have lost population.

Table II describes the racial/ethnic makeup of Los Angeles as of April 1, 1990. Since the last census, white non-Hispanic and black non-Hispanic subpopulation groups have decreased, while Hispanic and asian non-Hispanic persons have increased. At regional level, most of the racial/ethnic groups have shifted in the same direction as the Citywide numbers. The exception to this pattern is found in black non-Hispanics, whose numbers have increased in the Valley, on the Westside, and in the Southern region.

The following definitions apply;

- . non-Hispanic groupings include persons who have defined themselves as being either white, black, or asian and not of Hispanic origin.
- . Hispanic persons are those individuals who identify themselves as being of Hispanic origin regardless of race. Data collected from the 1990 Census indicates that most Hispanic persons define themselves racially as "other".

The information presented on these tables is based on whole census tracts. More detailed population and housing information will not be available until late 1991. Income, level of education, employment, and other social information will not be available until 1992. Data contained in the PL94 file may be revised because of a Census Bureau Post Enumeration Survey.

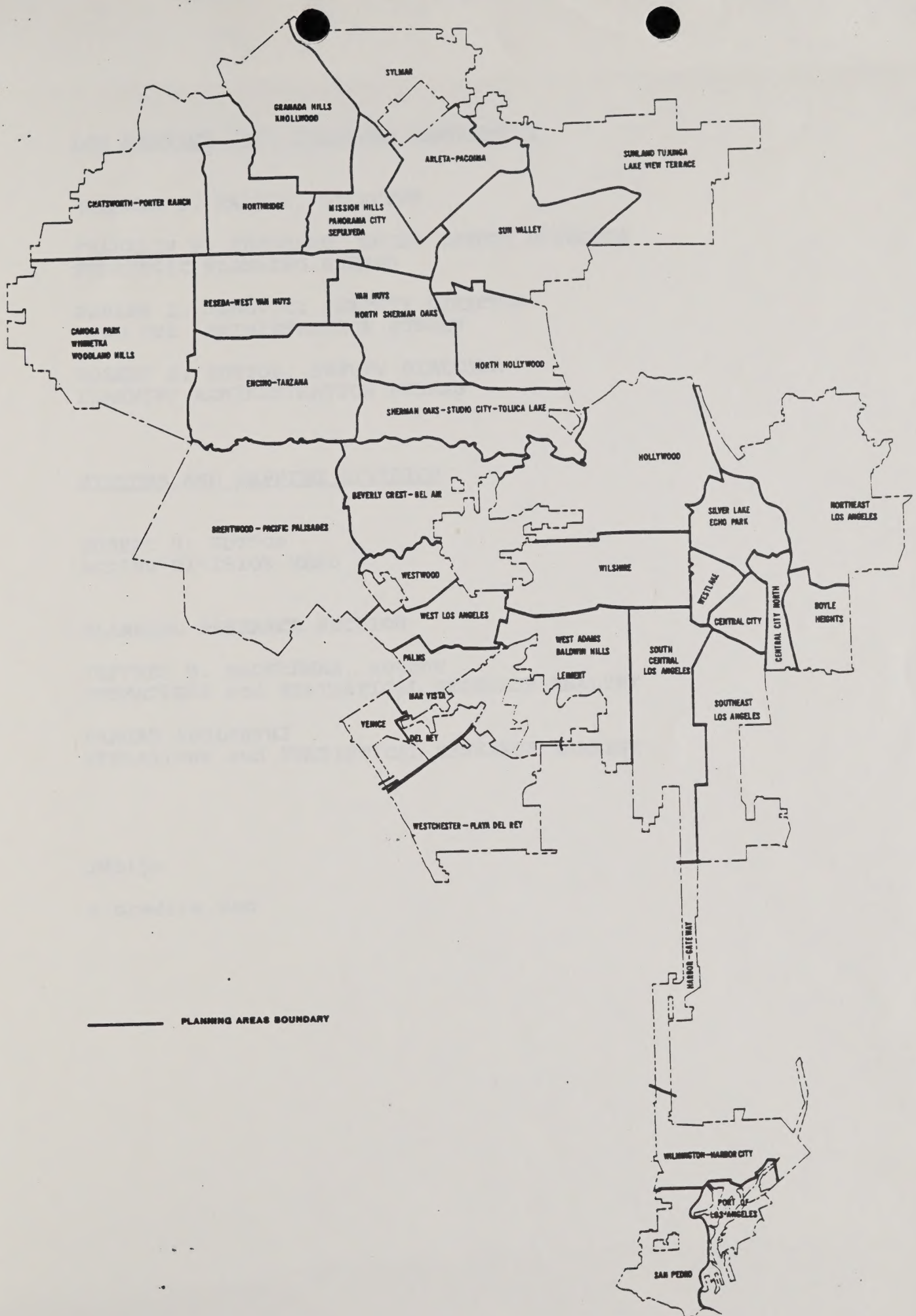
1990 U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING

CITYWIDE HOUSING AND POPULATION
BY 35 PLANNING DISTRICTS

	1990 TOTAL PERSONS	1980 TOTAL PERSONS	GROWTH 1980-90	PCT ANNUAL GROWTH	1990 TOTAL HOUSING	1980 TOTAL HOUSING	GROWTH 1980-90	PCT ANNUAL GROWTH
NORTHEAST LOS ANGELES	237315	198229	39086	1.82	72603	66624	5979	0.86
BOYLE HEIGHTS	94558	81279	13279	1.52	23210	22134	1076	0.48
SOUTHEAST LOS ANGELES	234621	186984	47637	2.30	61609	61411	198	0.03
WEST ADAMS-BALDWIN HILLS-LEIMERT PARK	169397	151528	17869	1.12	65672	63985	1687	0.26
SOUTH CENTRAL	257469	220969	36500	1.54	81725	77414	4311	0.54
WILSHIRE	271631	225406	46225	1.88	114090	109771	4319	0.39
HOLLYWOOD	213847	180996	32851	1.68	99866	92410	7456	0.78
SILVERLAKE-ECHO PARK	84229	76650	7579	0.95	30002	29211	791	0.27
WESTLAKE	107527	92414	15113	1.53	34840	37241	-2401	-0.66
CENTRAL CITY	25823	22829	2994	1.24	11758	10327	1431	1.31
H&E CENTRAL CITY	14551	12851	1700	1.25	2878	1878	1000	4.36
---CENTRAL LOS ANGELES----->>>>>>	1710968	1450135	260833	1.67	598253	572406	25847	0.44
SHERMAN OAKS-STUDIO CITY	71604	66183	5421	0.79	39822	34968	4854	1.31
NORTH HOLLYWOOD	120240	92794	27446	2.62	49170	42594	6576	1.45
ARLETA-PACOIMA	88760	69077	19683	2.54	19949	17878	2071	1.10
VAN NUYS-NORTH SHERMAN OAKS	136677	109511	27166	2.24	57973	50670	7303	1.36
MISSION HILLS-PANORAMA CITY-SEPULVEDA	106317	75948	30369	3.42	35366	29417	5949	1.86
SUN VALLEY	80061	61158	18903	2.73	23300	20798	2502	1.14
SYLMAR	59996	42375	17621	3.54	17891	13263	4628	3.04
GRANADA HILLS-KHOLLWOOD	56352	55886	466	0.08	20130	19247	883	0.45
CANOGA PARK-WINNETKA-WOODLAND HILLS	150541	134495	16046	1.13	59151	50344	8807	1.63
CHATSORTH-PORTER RANCH	79666	67899	11767	1.61	29708	24499	5209	1.95
NORTHRIDGE	58985	53873	5112	0.91	21608	19221	2387	1.18
RESEDA	89279	77035	12244	1.49	33389	31009	2380	0.74
ENCINO-TARZANA	66506	66852	-346	-0.05	29637	28122	1515	0.53
SUNLAND-TUJUNGA	51867	44279	7588	1.59	19308	16244	3064	1.74
---SAN FERNANDO VALLEY----->>>>>>	1216851	1017365	199486	1.81	456402	398274	58128	1.37
WESTWOOD	42823	34534	8289	2.17	19903	16609	3294	1.83
WEST LOS ANGELES	67863	62747	5116	0.79	35835	32866	2969	0.87
PALMS-MAR VISTA-DEL REY	103906	94964	8942	0.90	48891	43729	5162	1.12
VENICE	40040	36553	3487	0.92	21136	18379	2757	1.41
WESTCHESTER-PLAYA DEL REY	48003	43743	4260	0.93	22602	19225	3377	1.63
BRENTWOOD-PACIFIC PALISADES	53353	53596	-243	-0.05	25297	24088	1209	0.49
BEL AIR-BEVERLY CREST	19537	20201	-664	-0.33	8489	8324	165	0.20
---WESTERN----->>>>>>	375525	346338	29187	0.81	182153	163220	18933	1.10
WILMINGTON-HARBOR CITY	76517	60438	16079	2.39	23737	19876	3861	1.79
SAN PEDRO	69526	62336	7190	1.10	27904	25053	2851	1.08
HARBOR-GATEWAY	36011	30238	5773	1.76	11514	10093	1421	1.33
---SOUTHERN----->>>>>>	182054	153012	29042	1.75	63155	55022	8133	1.39
CITYWIDE TOTAL	3485398	2966850	518548	1.62	1299963	1188922	111041	0.90

1990 U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING
GENERAL POPULATION STATISTICS
BY 35 PLANNING DISTRICTS

	1990 TOTAL PERSONS	1990 DWELLING UNITS	1990 WHITE PERSONS	1990 BLACK PERSONS	1990 NATIVE PERSONS	1990 ASIAN PERSONS	1990 HISPANIC PERSONS	1990 OTHER PERSONS
NORTHEAST LOS ANGELES	237315	72603	42312	3980	786	38108	151448	681
BOYLE HEIGHTS	94558	23210	1481	695	102	3064	88964	252
SOUTHEAST LOS ANGELES	234621	61609	1735	92911	235	1407	137447	886
WEST ADAMS-BALDWIN HILLS-LEIMERT PARK	169397	65672	8804	104874	388	8067	46468	796
SOUTH CENTRAL	257469	81725	11350	122547	486	6781	115204	1101
WILSHIRE	271631	114090	79184	30035	598	57219	103703	892
HOLLYWOOD	213847	99866	107030	8914	582	20614	76183	524
SILVERLAKE-ECHO PARK	84229	30002	16779	1606	282	22390	42903	269
WESTLAKE	107527	34840	6956	3099	270	11524	85267	411
CENTRAL CITY	25823	11758	4865	5315	192	2725	12660	66
H&E CENTRAL CITY	14551	2878	1723	3289	30	4782	4655	72
-----CENTRAL LOS ANGELES----->>>>>	1710968	598253	282219	377265	3951	176681	864902	5950
SHERMAN OAKS-STUDIO CITY	71604	39822	61697	1803	180	2657	5170	97
NORTH HOLLYWOOD	120240	49170	59505	5146	376	7161	47735	317
ARLETA-PACOIMA	88760	19949	9800	8372	270	3616	66417	285
VAN NUYS-NORTH SHERMAN OAKS	136677	57973	73739	6652	396	8394	47170	326
MISSION HILLS-PANORAMA CITY-SEPULVEDA	106317	35366	38667	7242	394	11802	47859	353
SUN VALLEY	80061	23300	26040	1982	244	7646	43923	226
SYLMAR	59996	17891	23532	2446	344	2120	31399	155
GRANADA HILLS-KNOILWOOD	56352	20130	40664	1442	207	7273	6655	111
CANOGA PARK-WINNETKA-WOODLAND HILLS	150541	59151	107510	3466	442	12380	26506	237
CHATSWORTH-PORTER RANCH	79666	29708	57233	1756	253	10179	10133	112
NORTHRIDGE	58985	21608	40444	1764	161	6002	10534	80
RESEDA	89279	33389	55978	2342	345	7185	23283	146
ENCINO-TARZANA	66506	29637	57075	1153	110	2583	5531	54
SUNLAND-TUJUNGA	51867	19308	36062	2530	297	2608	10294	76
-----SAN FERNANDO VALLEY----->>>>>	1216851	456402	687946	48096	4019	91606	382609	2575
WESTWOOD	42823	19903	32701	1069	108	5849	3019	77
WEST LOS ANGELES	67863	35835	49614	1785	138	7634	8588	104
PALMS-MAR VISTA-DEL REY	103906	48891	56258	6042	376	14538	26424	268
VENICE	40040	21136	25792	3142	182	1272	9559	93
WESTCHESTER-PLAYA DEL REY	48003	22602	34703	3494	137	3638	5912	119
BRENTWOOD-PACIFIC PALISADES	53353	25297	47638	447	61	2703	2484	20
BEL AIR-BEVERLY CREST	19537	8489	17273	311	29	951	950	23
-----WESTERN----->>>>>	375525	182153	263979	16290	1031	36585	56936	704
WILMINGTON-HARBOR CITY	76517	23737	19284	3931	290	5779	47051	182
SAN PEDRO	69526	27904	38228	3657	348	3207	23972	114
HARBOR-GATEWAY	36011	11514	7948	5050	135	6810	15941	127
-----SOUTHERN----->>>>>	182054	63155	65460	12638	773	15796	86964	423
CITYWIDE TOTAL	3485398	1299963	1299604	454289	9774	320668	1391411	9652





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